Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 19 Oct 2024 until 23:59 on Sunday 20 Oct 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 19 Oct 2024 at 02:29

Confidence: High for south to southwest flow keeping relatively high freezing levels, also for fair conditions Saturday, then an unsettled start and very windy Sunday.

Headline for Saturday 19 Oct 2024: Mainly dry with plentiful sunshine. Strong summit winds easing this afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 19 Oct 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	10%	10%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: A mostly day with sunny spells. However the odd light afternoon shower may develop and cloud will begin to filter in from the west through the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90%

Low cloud and visibility: Good or very good becoming moderate in any showers, very poor within cloud with bases infrequently lowering 600m, chiefly in and around isolated showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	25/34 SW	18/26 SW	17/24 SW	13/19 SW	15/22 S	25/35 S	33/48 S
300	8/18 SW	5/10 SW	11/18 SW	9/15 SW	7/14 S	13/24 S	19/35 S
Valley	7/18 SW	4/11 S	8/17 SW	8/15 SW	5/13 S	11/24 S	17/34 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/1	6/2	8/4	8/5	7/4	7/2	8/2
300	8/5	8/7	10/8	11/9	9/7	9/6	10/6
Valley	8/6	9/8	12/10	12/11	9/8	10/8	11/8
Freezing Level*	1400m	1300m	1400m	1400m	1500m	1500m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Sunday 20 Oct 2024

Weather: Rain at first, occasionally turning heavy, but this soon clears to the east, with brighter spells and showers for all from mid-morning. However the main feature will be the storm force summit winds from Storm Ashley.

Maximum wind: South to southwest mean 50-60mph with gusts reaching 80mph across exposed ridges and summits

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 10% or less becoming 80% for mid-morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Good or very good becoming moderate or poor in rain or showers, very poor within cloud with bases extensive from 500m early morning, occasionally so thereafter, particularly in and around the showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8 Celsius increasing 15 Celsius for the afternoon
At 700m: Plus 6-8 Celsius
Freezing level: Above all summits

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